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SUBJECT: REQUEST AUTHORIZATION TO ACCEPT TWO GRANT AWARDS FROM THE CORPORATION FOR PUBLIC BROADCASTING (CPB) FOR FUNDING UNDER THE COMMUNITY SERVICE GRANT PROGRAM

COMMITTEE: INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

LINK TO DISTRICT

STRATEGIC PLAN: IMPROVE RETURN ON INVESTMENT OF GRANT DOLLARS

Authorization is requested to accept two grant awards from the Corporation for Public Broadcasting (CPB) in the approximate amount of \$1,651,589, to partially support day-to-day operations of WLRN-TV and WLRN-FM for the grant period of October 1, 2008 through September 30, 2010 as follows:

Program	Grant Amount
Television Community Service Program	\$ 1,256,820
Radio Community Service Program	\$ 394,769
Total	\$ 1,651,589

In 1967, Congress passed the Public Broadcasting Act establishing the CPB, which is a private, non-profit organization that funds over 1,000 public television and radio stations nationwide using an annual appropriation from Congress. Allocations to public broadcasting stations are computed based upon a formula which uses a station's non-federal financial support. These grants will be managed by WLRN and support the District's goal to actively engage family and community members.

No matching funds are required as a condition to receive the grant funding. Grant funds will be used to partially support personnel, operations, and programming of WLRN-TV and WLRN-FM. Indirect cost is not allowed.

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The Radio Community Service Program for WLRN-FM also stipulates that approximately 28 percent, or \$103,074, of the grant funding must be used to pay a portion of the costs of WLRN-FM programming that is provided by National Public Radio or Public Radio International, including programs such as Morning Edition, Talk of the Nation, All Things Considered, News & Notes, Car Talk, Weekend Edition, A Prairie Home Companion, Marketplace, and This American Life.

Official notifications of these grant awards were received on October 1, 2008. Reimbursement of grant-related expenditures is authorized effective October 1, 2008.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, authorizes the Superintendent to:

1. accept two grant awards from the Corporation for Public Broadcasting (CPB) for funding under the:
 - a. Television Community Service Program in the amount of \$1,256,820, for the grant period of October 1, 2008 through September 30, 2010;
 - b. Radio Community Service Program in the amount of \$394,769, for the grant period of October 1, 2008 through September 30, 2010;
2. extend these programs as authorized through official notification from the granting agency in order to complete the goals of the programs; and
3. direct Financial Operations to establish appropriations in the amounts approved or as amended by the granting agency; such appropriations to be reported periodically to the Board.

AMC/JL:sdw

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

BUDGET SUMMARY FORM



Yes No Are there any in-kind or matching funds required?

Entitlement Grant Non-Entitlement/Contract

GRANT/PROGRAM NAME: CPB Television Community Service Grant WLRN - TV

Grant Period Beginning October 1, 2008 Ending September 30, 2010
(Date) (Date)

FUNCTION	Total Budget	Salaries (51XX)	Employee Benefits (52XX)	Purchased Services (53XX)	Energy Services (54XX)	Materials and Supplies (55XX)	Capital Outlay (56XX)	Other Expense (57XX)
INSTRUCTION SERVICES	5000							
SUPPORT SERVICES:								
Pupil Personnel Services	6100							
Instructional Media Services	6200	1,256,820.00	289,020.00			5,000.00	7,000.00	
Instruction & Curriculum Development	6300							
Instructional Staff Training	6400							
Board of Education	7100							
General Administration	7200	*						*
School Administration	7300							
Facilities Acquisitions & Construction	7400							
Fiscal Services	7500							
Food Services	7600							
Central Services	7700							
Transportation Services	7800							
Operation of Plant	7900							
Maintenance of Plant	8100							
Community Services	9100							
Debt	9200							
TOTAL INSTRUCTION AND SUPPORT SERVICES	1,256,820.00	955,800.00	289,020.00			5,000.00	7,000.00	

*Includes Federal Indirect Costs of

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BUDGET SUMMARY FORM



Are these any in-kind or matching funds required?
 Yes No

Entitlement Grant
 Non-Entitlement/Contract

GRANT/PROGRAM NAME: CPB Radio Community Service Grant WLRN - FM

Grant Period Beginning October 1, 2008 Ending September 30, 2010 (Pair)

FUNCTION	Total Budget	Salaries (51XX)	Employee Benefits (52XX)	Purchased Services (53XX)	Energy Services (54XX)	Materials and Supplies (55XX)	Capital Outlay (56XX)	Other Expense (57XX)
INSTRUCTION SERVICES	5000							
SUPPORT SERVICES:								
Pupil Personnel Services	6100							
Instructional Media Services	6200	394,769.00	72,285.00	103,074.00				
Instruction & Curriculum Development	6300							
Instructional Staff Training	6400							
Board of Education	7100							
General Administration	7200	*						
School Administration	7300							
Facilities Acquisitions & Construction	7400							
Fiscal Services	7500							
Food Services	7600							
Central Services	7700							
Transportation Services	7800							
Operation of Plant	7900							
Maintenance of Plant	8100							
Community Services	9100							
Debt	9200							
TOTAL INSTRUCTION AND SUPPORT SERVICES	394,769.00	219,410.00	72,285.00	103,074.00				

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